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This paper is responsive to the telephone interview from Examiner C. Chang on January 13, 1995, in which Claims 3, 4, and 11 should be amended to place the case in condition for allowance. Applicants gratefully acknowledge the Examiner's telephone interview and request amendment of the above-named case in light of the discussion. Applicants courteously request reconsideration in light of the following.

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